

11th November 1957] [Sri C. Subramaniam]

The total supplementary grant asked for is Rs. 76.4 lakhs. Out of this sum, Rs. 71 lakhs relates to Schemes in the Second Five-Year Plan. The main item included under this, is an amount of Rs. 44.5 lakhs on various schemes for the welfare of the Scheduled Castes and Tribes. Out of this amount, nearly Rs. 35 lakhs is expected from the Government of India. Rs. 14 lakhs have been asked for under various educational schemes.

I may point out that advances amounting to Rs. 56.66 lakhs have been sanctioned from the Contingency Fund to meet the expenditure on thirty schemes for which the approval of the Legislature is sought through this supplementary estimate.

With these words, I commend the Supplementary Estimates for the acceptance of the House.

IV.—GOVERNMENT MOTION.

MOTION UNDER RULE 21 (3) OF THE ASSEMBLY RULES *re* CHANGE  
IN THE ORDER OF BUSINESS.

MR. SPEAKER: In to-day's agenda, only two Government Bills are mentioned. I understand the Hon. Minister for Revenue would like to move a Motion first for leave to introduce the Madras Preservation of Private Forests (Amendment) Bill. If that is the intention of the Government, I hope the Hon. the Leader of the House will first move a Motion for changing the order of business and then he can move the Motion for leave to introduce the Bill.

THE HON. SRI C. SUBRAMANIAM: Sir, I move—

“ That (item No. 3 under ‘ Government Bills ’ on the Agenda, namely) the Madras Preservation of Private Forests (Amendment) Bill, 1957, be taken up before item Nos. 1 and 2 under ‘ Government Bills ’.”

MR. SPEAKER: The question is—

“ That (item No. 3 under ‘ Government Bills ’ on the Agenda, namely) the Madras Preservation of Private Forests (Amendment) Bill, 1957 be taken up before item Nos. 1 and 2 under ‘ Government Bills ’.”

The Motion was put and carried.

V.—GOVERNMENT BILLS.

(1) THE MADRAS PRESERVATION OF PRIVATE FORESTS (AMENDMENT)  
BILL, 1957.

THE HON. SRI C. SUBRAMANIAM: Sir, I beg leave to introduce the Madras Preservation of Private Forests (Amendment) Bill, 1957.

MR. SPEAKER: The question is—

“ That leave be granted for the introduction of the Madras Preservation of Private Forests (Amendment) Bill, 1957.”

The Motion was put and carried.